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Note verbale dated 20 December 2000 from the Permanent Mission of New Zealand to the United Nations addressed to the Committee

The Permanent Mission of New Zealand to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1298 (2000) concerning Eritrea and Ethiopia and has the honour to inform the Chairman that New Zealand has taken the necessary steps to implement the measures imposed by the Security Council in resolution 1298 (2000) by promulgating the United Nations Sanctions (Eritrea and Ethiopia) Regulations 2000.

These regulations, which entered into force on 7 December 2000, prohibit the exportation of arms from New Zealand to Eritrea and Ethiopia and prohibit any New Zealander or any person in New Zealand from dealing in arms destined for Eritrea or Ethiopia or from providing any arms-related technical assistance or training to any person in Eritrea or Ethiopia.

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Note verbale dated 24 January 2001 from the Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1298 (2000) and has the honour to inform the Committee that France has taken the necessary steps to enforce the measures imposed in paragraph 6 of the above-mentioned resolution.

Under French law, an export license is required for exports of military materiel. Export licenses are not granted for the export of military materiel to countries that are subject to an embargo of the Security Council.

France, moreover, strictly enforces the embargo on the export of arms to Ethiopia and Eritrea imposed by the European Union on 15 March 1999.

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